

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

Example 9

Bromoacetic acid (1.0 g) and ~~Lodyne~~ LODYNE 103A (0.01 g) were dissolved in water (8.99 g) to form a liquid mixture. Once the solids dissolved, the resulting solution was decanted into the storage vessel of a JetPlate JETPLATE ink-jet printer. The ~~JetPlate~~ JETPLATE printer includes a PC controlled imaging output device, an imaging head, and a signal encoder that controls the imaging head. The printer resolution was set at 710 x 1440 dpi + EDS screening without calibration, and Media Type was set to paper. A printing plate precursor formed according to Example 1 was placed on the ~~platen~~ platen and ink-jet application of the acidic mixture was initiated.